

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Case No. 00-713-I15)**

In re Application of:	)	
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Mirkin, et al.	)	
	)	Examiner: J. Riley
Serial No.: 09/975,059	)	
	)	Art Unit: 1637
Filed: October 11, 2001	)	
	)	Confirmation No. 2661
For: NANOPARTICLES HAVING	)	
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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Mail Stop Issue Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

We have now procured and enclose herewith the formal drawings (forty-seven (47) sheets, Figures 1-41) in response to the Notice of Allowability dated February 19, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 6, 2004

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For: Nanoparticles Having Oligonucleotides )  
Attached Thereto and Uses Therefor )

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

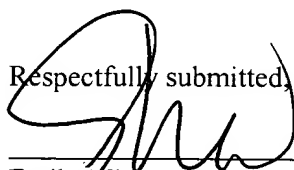
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Sir:

- In regard to the above identified application.
1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
    - a) Submission of Formal Drawings
    - b) Forty-Seven (47) sheets of formal drawings
    - c) Return Receipt Postcard
  2. With respect to fees:
    - a) No fee is due at this time.
    - b) **General Authorization:** Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
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